

CITY MATTERS.

Miss Kaufman returned from Xenia this morning.

Miss Ida Monahan is confined to the house with asthma.

The Chanfrau Company are stopping at the Arcade and St. James.

Mr. Robert C. Bran, of New York, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. Geo. R. Mead, of Baltimore, will be in Springfield for a few days.

John Mathews and O. L. Briggs, of Washington, C. H., are at the Lagoda.

Mr. Simon Tuck, of Cincinnati, will, for a short time, be the guest of Jacob Hahr.

H. L. Rockfield goes to Cincinnati tomorrow to complete arrangements for the Keifer banquet.

Misses Ella Fisher and Wilda Gerard, of London, O., are visiting in the city, the guests of Miss Ella Baker.

Miss Birdie Kegenstein entertained a number of her friends last evening at her home on North Plum street.

Colonel W. J. White, superintendent of schools, is reported seriously ill from effects of a severe cold. He is confined to the house.

This morning while John Armstrong, of 292 South Mechanic street, was working at his machine at Mast, Fos & Co's, the lever in some manner, flew up and struck him just above the eye, fracturing the skull and otherwise injuring him severely. Dr. Russell, who was summoned, apprehends no very serious results.

Officer Foster, of the patrol wagon force, has been called to Covington by the illness of a brother-in-law and Officer Mills has taken his truck, doing day and night duty. Men are at work to build fourteen feet box stalls for the patrol wagon horses and hereafter the stalls will be given that much more room in which to move around.

Equiper Washington correspondence: "Mayor Constantine says that Captain S. H. Bowles, of Clark county, is ambitious to be Postmaster at Springfield; that he has had a very cordial interview with Senator Payne, and has called upon Vice-President Hendricks, who has agreed to interest himself in Captain Bowles' behalf." If Hoosier Tom has as good success in this case as he did in getting his man into the Indianapolis postoffice, Uncle Sam is likely to step into Uncle Jimmy's shoes "when the pigs begin to fly."

There was a liberal attendance of members of the bar and a heap of talk in Common Pleas Court this morning, but the amount of actual business transacted was not in accordance therewith. In the case of Smith vs. the I. B. & W. Railroad Company, touching the location and construction of a cattle pass on lands at New Carlisle, the Court rendered a decision for plaintiff as to size of the pass under defendant's track, that it was not so large as called for in the contract or agreement, and for defendant as to its location. No decision on the Scott law tax demurrer has yet been rendered.

On orders from Chief Simpson, Tom Norton, from the Hill house, was placed on duty again at the Factory street engine house this morning as Lowrey hydrant-man, Phil Coons taking the Lowrey at the Clifton street house and Mr. Porter taking charge there as captain. This arrangement will continue in force for the present. The scene is said to have been meeting in the extreme when the ceremony occurred of turning over the keys to Captain Porter. Captain Norton accompanied the act with a beautiful speech (right out of "The Dine Orator") to which the new official responded as fluently as his feelings would admit of.

Last Sunday evening at St. Paul M. E. church the pastor, Rev. Mr. Tuckley, took for his text the latter clause of the fourth chapter, seventeenth verse, of first Peter. The audience was large, filling almost all portions of the house. The reverend gentleman, in discussing the text, "A Question for Skeptics to Ponder," referring to great men of ancient and modern times, said that death made no distinction of greatness, and in speaking of General Grant, who is now thought to be near the end of an eventful life, paid a tribute to the distinguished sufferer in words that filled the members of the vast audience with the highest admiration for the speaker and with sympathy for the heroic sufferer, and nothing but the place and the occasion prevented applause.

A Washington C. H., O., special of Monday says: "The Ohio Conference Camp Meeting Grounds of the Methodist Protestant church are located three miles west of this city. The meeting was established eight years ago. The grounds, thirty acres in all, were leased to the Conference for twenty-five years. The regular March meeting of the Executive Committee of the Camp Meeting Board was held at the call of the President in this city recently. It was decided to hold a Sunday School Assembly for three days preceding the commencement of the camp meeting proper. The assembly will begin July 30, and will be under the direction of the Rev. J. E. Gilbert, D.D., of the Michigan Conference. It will be interdenominational, and representative men from all denominations will participate in the exercises of the assembly. A fine array of ministerial talent will participate in the camp meeting services."

The station house was but poorly patronized last night. This, probably, is not due to any lack of appreciation of its comforts and conveniences on the part of the public, but rather to other engagements which required the attendance of the usual patrons.

Mike Gramer was arrested for committing a nuisance. "Like beggars like." Hence it follows that Mike, in committing a nuisance, becomes a nuisance himself. Then the question is, "Why are Mike's parents with their son?"

Ed. Yates and Wm. McEwen owe their incarceration to loitering around other people's premises.

Frank Stone has a big day after his name, which means Frank was drunk. There seems to be some question, however, whether this was not a mistake.

Republican Caucus.

The Republican caucus of the Second ward will be held tonight, at half-past seven, in the Western Engine House. All Republicans should be present.

EXTRA FINE SHOES.

We announce with pride that we now have a full line of the famous Hanan & Son's FINE SHOES FOR MEN. These goods are THE FINEST IN THE WORLD. The stock is of the celebrated Cordovan French Calf, soft as kid, and superbly finished; the workmanship is the best that money could procure, and the styles are the most shapely and symmetrical we have ever shown, embracing both French and box toes, with buttons and imitation lace and crimped top congress. As fine dress shoes, these are marvels of beauty, and we shall take much pleasure in showing them to gentlemen of taste.

We have just opened a large invoice of the superior Laird, Schober & Mitchell's FINE SHOES FOR LADIES, in French Kid Hand-sewed and turned and hand welt. The newest and most graceful shapes for spring wear will be included in this stock, and ladies will find much to admire in the extraordinary neatness of the workmanship and surpassing excellence of these goods. We are also displaying a new line of French kid slippers, ornamented with delicate beads of polished steel. Our spring stock of ladies' wear will far surpass that of previous years, both in extent and in the tastefulness of designs.

ROUSE & PARSONS, 26 S. MARKET ST.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

Meeting of Directors Saturday Afternoon.

The Annual Election, April 6—Miscellaneous Business.

The Clark county board of agriculture held the March session Saturday afternoon, Vice-President Elder in the chair, President Hazard being detained by serious illness. Secretary Sprague reported that he had attended the meeting at Blanchester called to consider the organization of a Fair Circuit, but that no definite action was taken, the matter being postponed until next year, a meeting to be held at the same place in February next to make a final decision.

The following notice of the annual election for members of the Board was presented, approved and publication ordered:

ELECTION NOTICE.

The Annual Election for Directors of the Clark County Agricultural Society will be held at the usual place where the Spring Elections are held, in the city of Springfield, and in the several Townships of the County, on Monday, the 6th day of April, 1886, to fill the places of the following Directors, whose terms of office expire April, 1886:

In the City of Springfield—Dr. G. W. Bryant. In Springfield Township—Chas. Stewart. In Green Township—J. T. Garlough. In Madison Township—J. B. McClure. In Bethel Township—D. O. Frank. In German Township—John Kiblinger. In Pike Township—Samuel Harshbarger. In Moorefield Township—James Clark. In Pleasant Township—J. W. Yearrell. In Harmony Township—James Boyd. In Madison Township—L. B. Sprague.

Any person a resident of the County, over twenty-one years old may become a member of this society by paying the sum of one dollar to the secretary or judges of elections at the time or before the Annual Election of each year, will be entitled to vote at said election, also be entitled to enter as many articles for exhibition and premiums as they and their minor members of their families may own and be admitted (with their families) to the fair ground during the fair.

L. B. SPRAGUE, Sec.

March 14, 1886.

A resolution was adopted providing that the polls shall be in charge of members of the board. Returns are to be sent in, properly certified to, on or before April 11, time of next meeting of the board.

Dr. G. W. Bryant tendered his resignation, saying he did so in order that it might be understood he was not a candidate for re-election, and presented the name of Mr. C. E. Thorne, the well-known associate editor of the Farm and Fireside, as his successor. The resignation was accepted.

HOW TO PREVENT THE COMING OF A PLAGUE.

Suggestions by Dr. Windhurst. Dr. Windhurst, who is lying very ill at his house on North Plum street, has made to a GLOBE REPUBLICAN some valuable suggestions as to how we may prevent the coming of cholera. In the first place, he protests against the killing of grass in gardens, claiming that growing vegetable matter is a disinfectant, and instances the fact that Eucalyptus trees are planted in the Campagna, near Rome, and in other places, to kill the bacilli germs. The filth in the gutters should, as a matter of course, be removed.

The doctor says that privies can be completely disinfected by putting a pound of copperas in a bucket of boiling water and pouring it in. By putting in carbolic acid we merely add one stench to another, without any good result. Lime should not be put into privies.

The doctor's method of disinfecting a cellar is, first, to remove all decaying vegetable matter—and take out oil fruit, &c.; then take an ounce of carbolic potash and add to it, on a saucer or something of the kind, an ounce and a half of muriatic acid; then close all doors and windows, and let the fumes do their work for 24 hours. The disinfecting work will then be complete.

Serambled Eggs.

A hot contest was waged last week between Winger & Bro. and John L. Cooklin, grocers on opposite sides of Market street, on the price of eggs. Early in the week one of them bulletined "eggs 18 cents a dozen," and shortly after a board appeared in front of the opposite house with "eggs 17 cents a dozen," in larger letters. Board and forth it went until the first grocer reached 15 cents per dozen, when the enterprising dealer on the other side announced "eggs 15 cents for thirteen," and was prepared to offer, this morning, a chromo, or a ton of coal in addition for every dozen sold. But our Clark county poultry are for a protective tariff and opposed to entering into competition with the pauper poultry of Greene and Champaign, and have consequently put an end to the war and prices today went back to three dozen for fifty cents, and those who failed to take advantage of the decline now regret their lack of business shrewdness. It is said that one of the dealers named sold one hundred and ten dozen eggs Saturday, which is egg-straw—here, now, who threw that?

The patrol wagon was called out on the Hill, to the rear of Welch's arcade, Sunday afternoon, some of the society ladies in that salubrious suburb desiring the arrest and removal of Mr. Willie Underwood, who was grieved to such an extent because of some remarks made about him that he threatened the life of half the neighborhood. He had stepped out to get his courage up when the wagon reached the spot and did not find it convenient to return while the blue and gold rolling stock hovered about those precincts.

The Rogers Fence Company will put up a foundry this summer, to do their own work.

Mr. Louis Voll is very ill of dropsy, at his home on West High street.

The Week's Program.

The present week bids fair to be crowded full of events, political, social, and so forth. Republicans of wards which have not already acted will hold their caucus for the nomination of ward officers; a matter by no means of secondary importance and which demands attention and careful consideration of every voter. Thursday evening will be held the Democratic caucus to select delegates to the city convention meeting in Allen's hall Friday evening. Thursday evening, also, the Keifer reception and banquet, which, according to plans now forming, will be an event long memorable. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, forenoon and afternoon, the Clark county farmers' institute for 1886 will be in session in the Court-house, upper room, and urban as well as suburban visitors will be welcome as auditors and will hear much to interest and instruct them. Tomorrow the Republican Executive Committee will have a meeting to act upon reports of committees appointed at the last meeting. The April election occurs three weeks from today, and arrangements are to be made at this meeting for carrying on an active campaign in behalf of the Republican city and ward tickets. Some events of a social character will be noted as they come to pass.

M. M. Hedges, of the Champion Coal and Ice Company, went to Cincinnati Saturday. He returns tomorrow.

PREFERRED NOTICES.

NOTICE—THE RED LINE EXCURSION.

See Line (C. & I. R. E.) Notice. A Grand Excursion to New Orleans will leave Springfield, Mo., on Thursday, March 19th, at 3:40 p. m., under the management of Baird & Gump, Excursion Agents, Dayton, O. The excursion train will consist of Mann's Boudoir Buffet Sleeping Cars, which will be run through without change. A special arrangement has been made to board the entire party on the fine steamer "General," which will be located at foot of Canal street. The accommodations are guaranteed first-class at the low rate of \$2 per day, with free transportation to the Exposition grounds included in above price. Messrs. Baird & Gump are gentlemen of large experience in the excursion business. They have already taken two very pleasant parties South this winter, and all who go can be confident of having a very pleasant trip at a very moderate price. Special rates will be furnished those who may wish to return via Tampa Bay and Florida.

The route of this special excursion train via Queen & Crescent from Cincinnati.

For full information regarding rates, limit of tickets, stop over regulations, &c., call upon

G. H. KENT, Agent, C. & I. R. E.

SPRINGFIELD METAL MARKETS.

Compiled by CHAS. W. PATTERSON & Co., 91 and 93 West Main Street.

Daily Report—Monday, March 16, 1886.

PROVISIONS.

BUTTER—Scarc at 26c. Retail.

EGGS—Scarc at 30c. per doz.

POULTRY—Good demand; chickens, young, 25c; old, 25c; ducks, 25c.

APPLES—10c. 50c. per bush.

POTATOES—Scarc at 15c. per bush.

BEANS—Scarc at 15c. per bush.

COAL—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

IRON—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

STEEL—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

BRASS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

COPPER—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

ZINC—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

LEAD—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

SILVER—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

GOLD—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

PLATINUM—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

DIAMONDS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

JEWELRY—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

WATCHES—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

PERFUMES—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOILET ARTICLES—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

HAIR OILS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

SKIN OILS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH PASTE—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH POWDER—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH BRUSHES—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH RAZORS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH COMBS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH STICKS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH SOAPS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

TOOTH LOTIONS—Scarc at 15c. per ton.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION.

Of the Mad River National Bank, at Springfield, Mo., at the close of business, March 10, 1886.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$432,209.56

Overdrafts 1,674.69

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 300,000.00

Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages 30,000.00

Due from approved reserve agents 22,222.22

Due from other National Banks 5,125.21

Due from State Banks and bankers 3,419.78

Due from other National Banks 20,500.00

Current expenses and taxes paid 1,812.70

Checks and other cash items 1,203.43

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 1,000.00

Fractional paper currency, nickels and pennies 1,223.83

Specie 24,200.20

Legal tender notes 35,000.00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer 5,000.00

5 per cent of circulation 15,000.00

Total \$935,646.75

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$300,000.00

Surplus fund 10,000.00

Undivided profits 34,832.22

National Bank notes outstanding 268,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check 218,594.09

Demand certificates of deposit 14,400.34

Due to State Banks and bankers 15,431.31

Total \$935,646.75

State of Ohio, County of Clark, ss: I, Thos. F. McGraw, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Thos. F. McGraw, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1886.

F. MCGRAW, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST: JAMES S. GOGGINS, CHAS. H. BACON, L. W. HATFIELD, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION.

Of the First National Bank, at Springfield, Mo., at the close of business, March 10, 1886.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$606,222.26

Overdrafts 688.68

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 400,000.00

Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages 115,610.00

Due from approved reserve agents 208,401.15

Due from other National Banks 3,818.63

Due from State Banks and bankers 2,708.29

Due from other National Banks 15,000.00

Real estate, furniture, and fixtures 2,157.93

Checks and other cash items 638.90

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 36,200.00

Fractional paper currency, nickels and pennies 700.00

Specie 17,700.00

Legal tender notes 40,000.00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer 16,000.00

5 per cent of circulation \$1,553,306.46

Total \$4,000,000.00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$400,000.00

Surplus fund 100,000.00

Undivided profits 100,000.00

National Bank notes outstanding 300,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check 1,153,222.33

Demand certificates of deposit 14,000.00

Due to State Banks and bankers 15,000.00

Total \$4,000,000.00

State of Ohio, County of Clark, ss: I, C. A. Phillips, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. PHILLIPS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1886.

ROBERT C. RODGERS, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST: W. M. BOWMAN, ROSS MITCHELL, J. H. THOMAS, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION.

Of the Second National Bank, at Springfield, Mo., at the close of business, March 10, 1886.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$339,662.29

Overdrafts 3.47

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 100,000.00

Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages 11,153.22

Due from approved reserve agents 1,409.46

Due from other National Banks 1,153.22

Due from State Banks and bankers 5,539.60

Due from other National Banks 1,157.87

Real estate, furniture, and fixtures 10,648.00

Checks and other cash items 684.73

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 4,944.00

Fractional paper currency, nickels and pennies 20,000.00

Specie 7,200.00

Legal tender notes 20,000.00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer 5,000.00

5 per cent of circulation \$61,738.95

Total \$617,738.95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$200,000.00

Surplus fund 50,000.00

Undivided profits 10,000.00

National Bank notes outstanding 141,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check 115,322.33

Demand certificates of deposit 14,000.00

Due to State Banks and bankers 15,000.00

Total \$617,738.95